

Billing Code 4310-55

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

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Endangered Species; Marine Mammals; Issuance of Permits

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of issuance of permits.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), have issued the following permits to conduct certain activities with endangered species, marine mammals, or both. We issue these permits under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) and Marine Mammal Protection Act (MMPA).

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On the dates below, as authorized by the provisions of the ESA (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), as amended, and/or the MMPA, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), we issued requested permits subject to certain conditions set forth therein. For each permit for an endangered species, we found that (1) The application was filed in good faith, (2) The granted permit would not operate to the disadvantage of the endangered species,

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and (3) The granted permit would be consistent with the purposes and policy set forth in section 2 of the ESA.

Endangered Species

| Permit number | Applicant | Receipt of application Federal Register notice | Permit issuance date |
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| 51599A | Kurt Wille | 76 FR 61733; October 5, 2011 | November 16, 2011 |
| 57058A | Hahn Laboratory, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine | 77 FR 298; January 4, 2012 | April 12, 2012 |
| 54173A | Hahn Laboratory/University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine | 77 FR 2314; January 17, 2012 | April 12, 2012 |
| 62465A | John Jackman | 77 FR 9687; February 17, 2012 | March 22, 2012 |
| 60964A | Scott Jennings | 77 FR 9687; February 17, 2012 | March 22, 2012 |
| 58210A | Point Defiance Zoo & Aquarium | 77 FR 9687; February 17, 2012 | May 4, 2012 |
| 65782A, 65783A, 65785A, 65787A, 65789A, 65790A, 65792A, 65793A, 65796A, 66550A, 66549A, 66546A, and 66548A | Feld Entertainment, Inc. | 77 FR 17494; March 26, 2012 | May 14, 2012 |
| 59285A, 65776A, 65778A, 65780A, and | Feld Entertainment, Inc. | 77 FR 17494; March 26, 2012 | May 17, 2012 |

| 65781A, | | | |
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| 71576A | U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service | 77 FR 22604; April 16, 2012 | June 18, 2012 |
| 72333A | Lonny Traweek | 77 FR 24510; April 24, 2012 | June 19, 2012 |

Marine Mammals

| Permit number | Applicant | Receipt of application Federal Register notice | Permit issuance date |
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| 58292A | Mote Marine Laboratory | 77 FR 12870; March 2, 2012 | June 20, 2012 |
| 48161A | Dr. Martin Levin, University of Connecticut | 77 FR 22604; April 16, 2012 | June 20, 2012 |
| 220876 | Alaska Department of Fish and Game | 77 FR 24510; April 24, 2012 | June 22, 2012 |

Availability of Documents

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to: Division of Management Authority, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 212, Arlington, VA 22203; fax (703) 358-2280.

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